

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of**

Chang et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/724,897      **Group Art Unit:** 2169

**Filed:** December 2, 2003      **Examiner:** Pham, Hung Q.

**For:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INDEXING, SEARCHING, AND RETRIEVING  
SEMANTIC OBJECTS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313 – 1450  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 21, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows: